# Neighborhood Development Fund Not-for-Profit Request

DATE:

June 28, 2006

TO: Appropriations Committee

FROM:	Councilwoman Mary C. Woolridge
RE:	Request for Neighborhood Development grant to be considered by the Appropriations Committee.
I have reviewed the attached proposal in the amount of \$\frac{\$600}\$ through the <b>Louisville Metro Council</b> to <b>A Better Life, Inc.</b> and have found it complete and within our guidelines. I have read the organization's statement of public purpose to be furthered by the funds requested and I agree that the public purpose is legitimate. I have also completed the disclosure section below.	
Please add thi	is Grant Application to the agenda of the next Appropriations Committee Meeting.
Mar Signature of C	y ( Woolidge Councilman/Councilma
DISCLOSUR	RE
List below any relation you have with the organization requesting the grant (your, your family, your legislative assistant or any city employee to this organization and to any member of the organization's board of directors or their employees.)	
NONE	
Approved by	:
<u> </u>	opriations Committee Chairman Date
Appro	opriations Committee Chairman Date
	OFFICE OF METRO COUNCIL CLERK RECEIVED DATE 7/11/06 TIME: 2:03PM
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# SECTION ONE: DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT AGENCY/ORGANIZATION

# **IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

I.	Official Name of Agency/Organization (Agency) as listed with the Kentucky Secretary of State:
11.	Organization number as listed with the Kentucky Secretary of State: <u>D 4 7 5 2 4 0</u>
III.	List any "working" or "does business as" names for organization:
IV.	Address of main office: (street and zip + 4) 4304 Vermont Ave , Louisville , Ky 407/1-3/15
V.	P. O. / mailing address if different: (zip + 4)
VI.	Phone # (502) 773-76/8 Fax# (502) //
VII.	E-Mail
VIII.	Agency's Legal Signatory/Title Name Mary 4 f. Carter
	Title sub officer / President
IX.	Contact person responsible for application:  A. Name: 5AMe, AKA MARYA CARTER OF "MARTI"
	B. Phone # (502) 772-76/8 Fax# (502) n/a
	C. E-Mail
l.	RIPTION OF AGENCY  Describe your Agency's vision, mission and services:  -Profit, charitable, Education services & Vision +
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LiF	e For themselves and their families.
	ires provided are "Etiquette Classes" For youth, Youth time
	ingement seminars, Heptilh Fair coordinating consultant Savices
FINA	uncial counseling + intervention, Youth Summer jobs - through

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V.	Provide one copy only of each of the following, as appropriate (4 points):  A. Articles of Incorporation.  B. Approved budget or executive summary for your Agency's current fiscal year.  C. Proof of IRS 501(C) (3) status, or application for this IRS status, if applicable.  D. Staffing structure for entire Agency, including organizational chart.  E. Board member list; specify chair, vice-chair, secretary, and treasurer.  F. If your Agency is an employer required to have a written Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity policy: copy of policy.  G. If rent/occupancy costs are being requested: copy of the signed lease.  H. If program participants have the opportunity to evaluate the services received: one copy each of any forms used.
VI.	List below any relationship any members of your Board of Directors or employees have with any Metro Council Member, Council Member's family, Council Member's staff, or any Louisville Metro Government employee.
	none
VII.	I certify under the penalty of law that the information in this application is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that my Agency will not be eligible for funding if investigation at any time shows falsification. If falsification is shown after funding has been approved, any allocations already received and expended are subject to be repaid. I further certify that I am authorized to sign this application for the Agency.
Name	e of Legal Signatory: (type or print) Marya J. CARter
Title:	President/Sole Officer
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Date	6 1 27 1 06

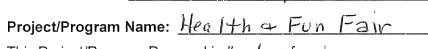
### LOUISVILLE METRO COUNCIL APPLICATION FORM FOR NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT FUNDS (2006-2007)

Proposed Activity/Need: Health Jain
Name of Applicant Agency: "A Better Life", elne
AMOUNT OF FUNDING REQUESTED \$\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\
I. Contact Person responsible for the Activity described in this proposal:  A. Name MARY J. CARTER  B. Title Founder - Organizer  C. Phone # (502) 772 - 7618 Fax # (502) n/4  D. E-mail n/a
2. If funded, this activity will further which of the major goals of Louisville Metro listed below.
Bringing Us Together
Keeping Us Safe
Promoting Education and Growing Jobs
Enhancing Neighborhoods and Protecting Our "Louisville" Quality of Life
3. If funded, this activity will strengthen (check one):
Youth (teenagers, ages 13-19) Human Services (Citizens with barriers to meeting basic human needs) Arts/cultural Neighborhoods Business Associations Parks Community Activities and Events Other: if you do not believe your proposal fits any of the above, please describe the nature of your request:  Promoting proportion Health - to reduce Health Disparities Along with Fun Activities, Exercise demonstrations Tai Ch
4. If approved, Louisville Metro Funds will be used for (check one)
Operating Funds (cannot exceed 33% of agency's total budget) Programming/services/events for direct benefit to community or qualified individuals Capital equipment (small operating equipment which may be used to benefit the individuals or community being served. (No building or renovations)

5. PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION: Describe how you are going to further one of the four
major goals of Louisville Metro Government by this proposal. (See #2)
Bring people together (All Ages) to educate and screen For
Health Purposes: Also educate for Housing, exercise, reading
And Drug Awareness. Good Heath enhances Neighborhoods-
is a KEY element.
6. Describe the activity being proposed to address the goal.
Agency Activity - DARE CAR, Diabetes, Blood Prossure, Cholostorol,
Vision Screening (Dental-Floride) Shelter Housine INFOL
lead poisoning prog. HUd- TARC INFO. Tai Chi Demonstration
Job Werdiness (6th & Cedar). Expanding Information this
year to address more needs of the community . After
x hool programs.
7. Describe how the funding is to be used. BE SPECIFIC.
Funding will pay For Lou. Zoo" Petting Animals", Fliers BARRACAdes For Street, SIGNS, "Free" Fee CREAM For Children
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PAY FOR SET-up + TOAR down of tables chairs AND GENERAL holp with Heavy Items (3 people) talso have 8 voluntaers)
Heavy Itoms (3 poople) + Also have & voluntaris)
8. Describe the results/goals for this proposal. How will you know it is successful?
At the end of screening participants are asked to
Fill out short questionaire for feed Dack. All people Are Attended asked by volunteers to fill out questionaires, Purpose to find Dut if we help with help a Living issues. I will follow-up
The Asked by volunter's to First gors, Full Follow-up
on those neverns who express help & try to refer to appropriate
on those persons who express help's try to refer to appropriate EXPECTATIONS/REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO: Agencye
a. Participate in post-award training.
b. Make all program and financial records available to any monitors
from Louisville Metro to assure compliance with the approved
funding.
<ul> <li>c. Failure to provide the services, programs or projects included in the agreement will result in funds being withheld, or in</li> </ul>
requirement for reimbursing Louisville Metro.
d. Return to Louisville Metro of any unexpended funds by July 31,
2007.
e. Documentation of all expenditures (canceled checks, receipts,
paid invoices )
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COMPLETE PAGE 3 -BUDGET SUMMARY STATEMENT FOR THIS PROJECT.
STAFF ONLY:
Description of Applicant Agency/Organization Complete
Description of Applicant Agency/organization dempere
All documentation is attached: 501(c)3 status, Articles of Incorporation,
Secretary of State status, EIN (Employer Identification Number)

# PROJECT/PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY STATEMENT

AGENCY NAME: "A Be Her Lipe" Inc



This Project/Program Proposal is #\_\_\_\_\_of\_\_\_\_i



	2006-2007	%
	Round to the nearest	of Total
REVENUES ANTICIPATED	\$100	Revenue
Louisville Metro Government		//5
Requested of Metro Agency: Metro Council	\$ 600:00	50 90
State of Kentucky	.&	ji
Federal Government		
(Including Federal Pass-thru to State)	E	Ė
United Way	B	A
Fees for Services	K	D'
Private Contributions	600.00	50 70
Interest Income	H	Ð
Other Sources		_
(Please specify)	<i>B</i>	B
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 1,200.00	100%

OPERATING EXPENSES		
Personnel (including all fringes)	100.00	1270
Operating (Contractual and Supplies)	250.00	2190
Capital Equipment (Small Operating Equipment)	K	E
Programing	850.00	67%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 1,200.00	100%

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Value of in-kind assets, such as donated space, supplies, use of equipment, etc.	\$ 500.00
Value of volunteer services and how computed:  8 people & \$5.25 per Hr. For 4 Hrs	\$ 168.00

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE P. O. BOX 2508 CINCINNATI, OH 45201

APR 1 4 2004

Date:

A BETTER LIFE INC 4304 VERMONT AVE LOUISVILLE, KY 40211 Employer Identification Number:
61-1367446
DLN:
17053052802094
Contact Person:
JERRY FIERRO ID# 31119

Contact Telephone Number:

(877) 829-5500

Public Charity Status: 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

#### Dear Applicant:

Our letter dated September 25, 2000, stated you would be exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and you would be treated as a public charity during an advance ruling period.

Based on our records and on the information you submitted, we are pleased to confirm that you are exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code, and you are classified as a public charity under the Code section listed in the heading of this letter.

Publication 557, Tax-Exempt Status for Your Organization, provides detailed information about your rights and responsibilities as an exempt organization. You may request a copy by calling the toll-free number for forms, (800) 829-3676. Information is also available on our Internet Web Site at www.irs.gov.

If you have general questions about exempt organizations, please call our toll-free number shown in the heading between 8:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Eastern time.

Please keep this letter in your permanent records.

Sincerely yours,

Lois G. Lerner

Director, Exempt Organizations

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Rulings and Agreements

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

A BETTER LIFE, INC



The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a nonstock, nonprofit corporation organized pursuant to Chapter 273 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, hereby adopts the following Aritcles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is A Better Life, INC.

#### **ARTICLE II**

The purpose of purposes for which the corporation is organized is the transaction of any and all lawful business for which a corporation may be organized under Kentucky Revised Statues Chapter 273.

#### **ARTICLE III**

- Section 3.1 The mailing address of the corporation's principle office is 4304 Vermont Ave., Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky 40211-31'15.
- Section 3.2 The name and address, including street and number, of it's resident agent for services of process is Marya J. Carter, 4304 Vermont Ave. Louisville, Jefferson County, Kentucky 40211-3115

#### ARTICLE IV

The name of the sole incorporator is:

Name Address

Marya J. Carter

4304 Vermont Ave. Louisville, Kentucky 40211-3115

#### **ARTICLE V**

- Section 5.1 The corporation shall have no members.
- Section 5.2 The affairs of the corporation shall be managed and conducted by it's duly elected Board of Directors which shall consists of not less than three (3) nor more than five (5) directors.

Section 5.3 The number and election of directors shall be as prescribed by the bylaws. The Board of Directors may make and adopt by-laws not inconsistent with the provisions of these Aritcles and the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

#### Article VI

The initial Board of Directors shall consist of the following 3 persons

Name	Address
Anna L. Dunlap	3902 Vermont Ave. Louisville, Kentucky 40211
Elaine B. Stevenson	1445 Cane Run Road, #151 Louisville, Kentucky 40216
Phyliss Burton	3538 Vermont Ave. Louisville, Kentucky 40211

#### Article VIII

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious and educational purposes.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of , or be distributable to its directors, offficers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purpose clause of this Article VII. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activites not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation its remaining assets shall be distributed to any then exempt organizations or to the federal government , or to a state or local government for a public purpose, for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code , or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the

Circuit Court of Jefferson County exclusively for such purposes or to such orgilnization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

#### ARTICLE VIII

Section 8.1 No director of the Corporation shall be personally liable to the Corporation for monetary damages for any breach of his duties as a director, except for liability (i) for any transaction in which the director's personal financial interst is in conflict with the financial interest of the Cprporation; (ii) for acts or ommissions not in good faith or which involve intentinal misconduct or are known to the director be a violations of law; or (iii) for any transaction from which the director derived an improper personal benefit.

Any repeal or modification of this Article shall not adversely affect any right or protection of a director of the Corporation hereunder in respect of any act or ommission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or midification.

Section 8.2 The Corporation shall, to the fullest extent permitted by Kentucky law, indemnify any director or officer of the corporation from and aganist any and all reasonable costs and expenses (including, but not limited to judgements, fine, penalties and reasonable settlements) paid by or on behalf of , or imposed or completed claim, action , suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, investigative or other (including any appeal relating thereto), whether formal or informal, and whether made or brought by or in the right of the Corporation or otherwise, in which such person is, was or at any time becomes a party or witness, or is threatened to be made a party , witness, or otherwise, by reason of the fact that such person is, was or at any time becomes a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation or, at the Corporation's request, a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise.

The indemnification authorized by this Section 8.2 shall not be exclusive of any other right of indeminication which any such person may have or hereafter acquire under any provision of these Articles or the Bylaws of the Corporation, agreement, or disinteredted directors kof otherwise. The Coporation may take such steps as may be deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors to provide and secure indemnification to any such person, including, without limitation, the execution of agreements for indemnification between the Corporation and individual directors, officers, employees or agents which may provide rights to indemnification which are broader or otherwise different than the rights authorized by this Section 8.2.

Dated: 5/7/99
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Marya J. Carter
Incorporator

The foregoing Articles of Incorporation were prepared by Marya J. Carter, 4304 Vermont Ave. Louisville Kentucky 40211

Marya J. Carter

A Better Life, Inc. 4304 Vermont Ave. Louisville, KY 40211-3115

# **Evaluation Form**

Date
Dear Client,
Please take the time to fill out the following information as it helps to improve services.
Were you satisfied with the services that you received     Yes, NO
If not satisfied please tell us the reason:
2. Would you recommend our help to a friend? Yes,  NO  3. Suggestions for future help services or activities that you
would be interested in.
4. Would you be interested in volunteering to help with an event or activity?
Name:
Address
Telephone number

# A BETTER LIFE, INC 4304 Vermont Ave. Louisville, KY 40211-3115

	Health and Fun Fair Evaluation Form, Year
	Participants
paper	take a minute and answer the following questions. You may either drop this in the box provided or mail it back to the above address within 1 week,  Thank you for your time, consideration and for participating in this event.
	Did you enjoy the fair, yes no
	If you have children, did they enjoy the fair, yes, no
	Approximate number of people who stopped by your table today
4.	Did you do any screenings today, if so whatand how many
5.	Is there any activity that you think should be added to the fair,
	Is there anything that you didn't like,
7.	Was this event helpful to you in any way
8.	Would you come back next year, yes, no

Thank you

A Better Life, Inc.

Budget are based on grants received for specific events yearly

Marti Carter

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**ORGANIZATION ID#** 

0475240

STATE OR COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION ΚY

**ORGANIZATION** DATE

06/04/1999

**FILING** FEE

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Date

(1) EXACT CORPORATE NAME AND CURRENT PRINCIPAL OFFICE ADDI	RESS
A BETTER LIFE, INC. 4304 VERMONT AVENUE LOUISVILLE, KY 402113115	
LOGIOVILLE, NY 402110113	(3) THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE ADDRESS IS HEREBY CHANGED TO
(2) CURRENT REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE ADDRESS  Changes made to the registered agent or registered office cannot be made on this form.  Complete (4) to request a form to be malled or download form from web site.	
MARYA J. CARTER 4304 VERMONT AVENUE LOUISVILLE, KY 402113115	(4) MAIL A STATEMENT OF CHANGE OF AGENT OR OFFICE TO
(5) PRINCIPAL OFFICERS If (5) is blank, type or print the names and business addresses be returned if business addresses are not listed. If the corporation has previously filed a any additions to or changes in the principal officers and give the business address for	s of the current principal officers. If sole officer, please note. The annual report will annual report, verify the names and titles of officers listed below. Please note each person listed.
Sole Officer MARYA J CARTER	4304 Vermont Aue, Lou, Ky 40211
	Address
	Address
	Address
	Address
(6) DIRECTORS Type or print the names and business addresses of the corporation's c (KRS 271B.8-010(3)). Nonprofit corporations must list three (3) or more directors (	irectors. No listing of directors is verification that the corporation has dispensed with directors KRS 273.211). The annual report will be returned if business addresses are not listed.
ELAINE STEVENSON	3912 Vermont Ans. Loui 96 40211
PHYLISS BURTON	Address 38 Vermon+ Ave, Lov. Ke 40211
ANNA L DUNLAP	3902 Vermont Aug. Lou. 16, 1/02/1
Name	Address
Name	Address
(7) Check here if you are a cooperative corporation or association organize.  Check here if you are a rural electric or rural telephone cooperative corporative.	ed under KRS 272.  poration organized under KRS 279.
VERIFY THAT THE INFORMATION IN THIS ANNUAL REPORT IS C	URRENT AS OF THE DATE THIS REPORT IS EXECUTED.
Signature of Officer on Chairman of the Board  Type of Prin	Solo Officer 3/6/06

#### ANNUAL REPORT AND FILING FEE

Submit for filing the completed annual report form and correct filing fee as indicated above. Make check payable to the "Kentucky State Treasurer". Please do not send cash.

**MAILING ADDRESS** 

Trey Grayson Secretary of State P O Box 1150 Frankfort, KY 40602-1150 **OFFICE LOCATION** 

Secretary of State State Capitol, Room 154 700 Capital Avenue Frankfort, KY 40601 (502)-564-2848

NOTE: P O Box 1150 is for annual report filings only.

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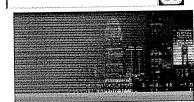
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Organization

**New Search** 

Number

0475240

Name

A BETTER LIFE, INC.

Profit or Non-

**Profit** 

N - Non-profit

Company Type

KCO - Kentucky Corporation

**Status** 

A - Active

Standing

G - Good

State

KY

File Date

6/4/1999

Organization Date 6/4/1999

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**Principal Office** 

4304 VERMONT AVENUE

LOUISVILLE, KY 402113115

Registered Agent MARYA J. CARTER

4304 VERMONT AVENUE LOUISVILLE, KY 402113115

**Current Officers** 

Sole Officer

MARYA J CARTER

Director

ELAINE STEVENSON

**Director** 

PHYLISS BURTON

Director

ANNA L DUNLAP

Incorporators and Initial Directors

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Incorporator MARYA J. CARTER

Director ANNA L. DUNLAP

**Director** ELAINE B. STEVENSON

**Director** PHYLISS BUTTON

# This organization has no assumed names

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